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PETITION FOR THREE MONTHS EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

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Applicant respectfully requests three months extension of time, to and including July 10, 2003, for response to the Office Action mailed January 10, 2003. A check in the amount of \$930.00 (#16594) is enclosed for the requisite fee to file a petition for three months extension. Should the amount of the check be insufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the balance due to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 50-0311. Ref. No. 18133-099. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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